

MASSACHUSETTS HIV/AIDS SURVEILLANCE
COUNTY REPORT

Alive HIV/AIDS Cases Among WORCESTER COUNTY Residents*

Total Cases as of 07/01/08	HIV 617 No. (%)		AIDS 919 No. (%)		HIV/AIDS 1,536 No. (%)		MASSACHUSETTS HIV and AIDS 16,480 No. (%)	
City/Town of Residence with >= 5 HIV/AIDS cases								
Auburn	8	1.3%	10	1.6%	18	2.9%		
Barre		0.3%		0.5%	5	0.8%		
Charlton	6	1.0%	6	1.0%	12	1.9%		
Clinton	5	0.8%	18	2.9%	23	3.7%		
Douglas		0.5%		0.3%	5	0.8%		
Dudley		0.5%		1.1%	10	1.6%		
Fitchburg	46	7.5%	63	6.9%	109	7.1%		
Gardner	9	1.5%	18	2.9%	27	4.4%		
Grafton	6	1.0%	8	1.3%	14	2.3%		
Holden		0.5%		0.3%	5	0.8%		
Lancaster		1.0%		0.6%	10	1.6%		
Leominster	25	4.1%	43	4.7%	68	4.4%		
Lunenburg		0.5%		0.5%	6	1.0%		
Milford	8	1.3%	13	1.4%	21	1.4%		
Milbury	7	1.1%	7	0.8%	14	0.9%		
Northboro		0.6%		0.6%	8	1.3%		
Northbridge		0.5%		1.1%	10	0.7%		
Oxford	5	0.8%	6	0.7%	11	0.7%		
Rutland		0.6%		0.5%	7	0.5%		
Shrewsbury	12	1.9%	15	1.6%	27	1.8%		
Southboro		0.3%		0.5%	7	0.5%		
Southbridge	13	2.1%	14	1.5%	27	1.8%		
Spencer		0.2%		0.9%	9	0.6%		
Sturbridge		0.3%		0.8%	7	0.5%		
Sutton		0.3%		0.2%	6	0.4%		
Uxbridge		0.5%		0.8%	8	0.5%		
Warren		0.3%		0.5%	5	0.3%		
Webster	10	1.6%	23	2.5%	33	2.1%		
West Boylston	11	1.8%	11	1.2%	22	1.4%		
Westboro	5	0.3%	11	1.2%	16	2.6%		
Westminster		0.6%		0.3%	6	1.0%		
Worcester	372	60.3%	558	60.7%	930	60.5%		
Others	20	3.2%	30	3.3%	50	3.3%		
Transmission Categories								
Male Sex w/Male	149	24.1%	175	19.0%	324	21.1%	5,885	35.7%
Injecting Drug User	177	28.7%	348	37.9%	525	34.2%	3,681	22.3%
Male Sex w/Male and IDU	12	1.9%	36	3.9%	48	3.1%	520	3.2%
Receipt of blood/products	4	0.6%	10	1.1%	14	0.9%	102	0.6%
Heterosexual Contact	105	17.0%	166	18.1%	271	17.6%	2,326	14.1%
Presumed Heterosexual **	120	19.4%	140	15.2%	260	16.9%	2,627	15.9%
Undetermined/others	54	8.8%	54	5.9%	108	7.0%	1,007	6.1%
Pediatric	15	2.4%	16	1.7%	31	2.0%	269	1.6%
Age Group								
< 13	22	3.6%	10	1.1%				
13-19	18	2.9%	9	1.0%				
20-29	160	25.9%	119	12.9%				
30-39	240	38.9%	392	42.7%				
40-49	128	20.7%	275	29.9%				
50+	49	7.9%	114	12.4%				
Gender								
Male	359	58.2%	591	64.3%	950	61.8%	11,597	70.4%
Female	160	25.9%	328	35.7%	488	31.8%	4,883	29.6%
Race								
White	270	43.8%	405	44.1%	675	43.9%	7,537	45.7%
Black	140	22.7%	187	20.3%	327	21.3%	4,646	28.2%
Hispanic	201	32.6%	314	34.2%	515	33.5%	3,976	24.1%
Other/Unknown	6	1.0%	13	1.4%	19	1.2%	321	1.9%

*Persons diagnosed in Massachusetts prisons are not included as county residents but is reflected in MA total.

**Risk of partner unknown and primary risk categories denied; definition revised 7/1/99.